



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Haruhisa YAMASAKI et al.**

Group Art Unit: **3744**

Application No.: **10/777,220**

Examiner: **Harry B. Tanner**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Commissioner for Patents
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December 23, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 24, 2005, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.114, noting that the present Amendment is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), please amend the present application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.